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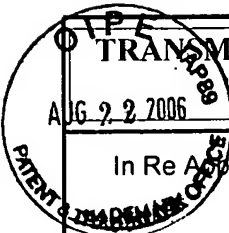
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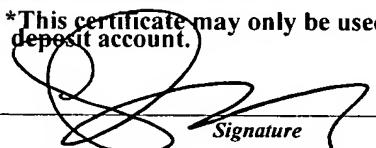
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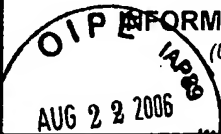
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	4,065,917	01/03/78	Pfefferle				
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